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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-6 are pending. Claims 1-6 are amended. Claim 1 is objected to because of a typographical error. Claim 1 is amended to change the word "transfer" to "transform" and thus correct the typographical error. In view of the amendment to claim 1, it is respectfully requested

that the above-mentioned rejections be withdrawn.

Claim 4 is objected to because the preamble recites computing modified inverse discrete cosine transform. The term inverse is cancelled from the preamble. In view of the amendment

to claim 4, it is respectfully requested that the above-mentioned rejections be withdrawn.

Applicant is asked to define the meanings of x, y, k, Y, Y' is all formulas. Claims 1-6 are amended to define the respective parameters. Regarding k, k is just a variable with a given range in each formula. Additionally, claims 3, 5, and 6 are amended correct the typographical errors in

the formula.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for allowance, and accordingly, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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